

**HULLED HOMINY!**

Put up in 2 pound cans. Ready for use.  
PURE, - RICH - AND - WHOLESOME.  
Price per can, 15c.

Try our preferred stock brand of  
**Pure Sugar Syrup, Maple Flavor.**  
**ROSS, HIGGINS & Co.**

**AMUSEMENTS TONIGHT.**

Star Theater, vaudeville.

**Lodge Meetings Tonight.**

Foresters, Court Astoria,  
G. A. R., Cushing post,  
Knights of Pythias, Astor lodge,  
Order of Pendo,  
Finnish Sisterhood.

**Local Brevities.**

Home-made sauer kraut, 5c per lb.  
ASTORIA GROCERY.

1905 flower seeds now on display at  
Astoria Grocery. Come early and get  
your pick.

Start the day right by drinking Nob  
Hill Coffee.

FOARD & STOKES CO.

J. C. Rierson of Elsie was kicked in  
the leg by a horse a short time ago and  
under the care of Dr. Henderson.

Danziger and Co. are open for busi-  
ness, although the workmen are still  
in charge of the store.

Some fine queen olives at 25c per  
pint at

ASTORIA GROCERY.

See the window display in the Owl  
Drug Store of the celebrated Eastman  
kodaks and supplies. New stock just  
received.

The Occident tonorial parlors and  
bath facilities are equalled by none.  
Everything modern and up to date.  
See Peterson.

The case of A. M. Smith against the  
O. R. & N. Co. has been compromised.  
The company gives Smith a deed to  
11 1/2 feet of the property in dispute  
and Smith pays \$200 and the court  
costs.

The Oregonian states that two men  
were arrested on the Clackamas river  
Monday night for illegal fishing and  
their gear confiscated.

Try a can of Shelling's best Spices;  
every can guaranteed. Your money  
back if it don't suit.

ASTORIA GROCERY.

Do you know that the McCrea-Ford  
Co., 638 Commercial street, are making  
a big reduction on all photographs  
during the Lenten season?

Jap-a-Lac, the finest finish for floors  
has proven both durable and makes a  
fine finish. E. F. Allen & Son have re-  
ceived a complete assortment.

Good Crackers in good condition, al-  
ways crisp and fresh. We make a  
special effort to keep our stock up.

FOARD & STOKES CO.

The doctors in charge report that  
there is no change in the condition  
of Joe Nick at the hospital and little  
hopes are entertained of his recovery.

Several of the Portland gamblers,  
who arrived in Astoria recently, don't  
like the climate and will go over to  
the sound, where it is most salubrious.

W. J. Hess has opened the cleanest  
and best appointed restaurant in As-  
toria at 129 Eleventh street. The best  
in the market, and the promptest ser-  
vice.

An embroidery sale at Morse's de-  
partment store will commence this  
morning and no doubt the ladies will  
take advantage of the great bargains  
offered.

There will be an adjourned meeting  
of the common council tonight at  
which the ordinance extending the time  
for improving Franklin avenue will be  
lengthened to May 1.

R. M. Gaston carries a full and  
complete line of wagons, buggies,  
plows, harrows and all kinds of farm  
tools and machinery at 105 Fourteenth  
street, Astoria, Ore.

Contractor Lebak expects a raft of  
pileing the last of the week and as  
soon as received work on the construc-  
tion of the addition to the O. R. & N.  
wharf will be commenced.

Families desiring either Colonial  
or Shalwater bay oysters can always  
secure them fresh at the Imperial  
oyster house, which makes a specialty  
of supplying families or parties.

Nice, large, fat mackerel, Holland  
and Alaska Herring, Bloaters and  
Schmidt's Smoked Salmon. Every-  
thing in the fish line at

FOARD & STOKES CO.

The steamer McCracken did not go  
to the bar yesterday to make an ef-  
fort to pick up the cable, the bar be-  
ing too rough. Another attempt will  
be made as soon as the bar moderates.

It is very doubtful if the Allen libel  
suit will be retried. The public take  
no interest in such matters and it will  
be impossible to find a jury in Clatsop  
county that would convict the defend-  
ant.

More White Pine cough syrup has  
been sold in Astoria this winter than  
any other kind, because it gives in-  
stant relief. The Owl and Eagle drug  
store are sole agents for all the best  
goods.

Another crowded house greeted Rev.  
George A. Taggart at the Congrega-  
tional church last evening. These  
meetings are growing in interest and  
much good is expected to result from  
them.

A boy burglar entered the store of  
Miss Emma Warren early yesterday  
morning and secured about 75 cents in  
pennies. Somebody must have a penny  
savings bank which they are trying  
to fill.

Mayor Surprenant has signed all the  
warrants drawn at the last session of  
the common council and all the ordi-  
nances, except the Whipple franchise  
ordinances, which he has not had time  
to examine.

A deed was filed for record yesterday  
wherein J. L. Washburn & Co. of Du-  
luth purchase 800 acres of timber land  
in 6, 6, the consideration being \$9000.  
The sale was made by the Abstract  
Title and Trust Co.

For something nice for breakfast,  
try our cream rolled oats, free from  
flinty or imperfect grains. We have  
nothing but the best. Only 5 cents  
per pound.

ASTORIA GROCERY.

Herman Wise has received a fine  
line of nobby spring and summer suits  
and a complete line of gents furnish-  
ing goods. As is the usual custom, the  
best inducements are offered custom-  
ers.

Only a little over a week remains to  
the opening of the spring fishing sea-  
son and the fishermen are making ex-  
tensive preparations for the work. This  
is the year when there ought to be a  
good run, and if there is Astoria will  
reap a harvest.

Rev. George A. Taggart preached to  
a good sized audience last evening at  
the Congregational church on the sub-  
ject of influence. The sermon was well  
received and will do much good. Song  
service begins at 7:30 p. m. tonight,  
followed by preaching by Rev. Taggart.

Fishers' opera houses was well filled  
last evening to witness "Your Neighbor's  
Wife." The play was well pre-  
sented and was very amusing, creating  
enthusiastic applause from the audi-  
ence. The company is above the aver-  
age and the performance refined and  
interesting.

A new lot of Australian lump coal  
just received. There is no fuel so con-  
venient, satisfactory and economical  
as first class coal. Australian coal  
burns freely with little ash and no  
clinkers. You can have it sacked or  
in lumps. Free delivery. Ring up  
phone 1961.

ELMORE & CO.

How to make house work easy in-  
terests every woman and carpet sweep-  
ers are considered a great saving.  
Heilborn & Son have announced prices  
on the Marion, National and Perpetual  
carpet sweepers for the season at \$1.75  
each. They also carry the Bissel,  
which after long years of trial, is con-  
sidered more durable and does better  
work although the price is higher, but  
they are the cheapest in the end.

George C. Flavel don't wait for the  
council to order a street improved.  
When streets abutting on his prop-  
erty need repairing, he has it done.  
Andrew Birch had a force of men at  
work yesterday building a new decking  
on Tenth street, between Bond and  
Commercial. This saves the city the  
expense and trouble of passing ordi-  
nances and unnecessary delays.

C. G. Palmberg has a contract for  
building seven houses, and every one  
was rented before the contract was  
awarded. The population of Astoria  
is increasing and there is not a vacant  
house in the city. It is estimated that  
over 50 new houses will be built in the  
city this year.

A man that has had the use of  
money for years that should have been  
paid the city for street assessments, is  
paid the city for street assessments, is  
not in a position to ask any favors or  
concessions from the council if they  
be to others, and it is a bad and dan-  
gerous precedent to establish.

Another crowded house greeted the  
Star last evening and the perform-  
ance received many eccliums of  
praise. The brothers Bunt display  
some marvelous feats and their acro-  
batic performance is admired and ap-  
plauded. There is just enough comedy  
mixed in to make the entertainment  
pleasing while the other numbers on  
the bill makes the entertainment one  
of the best ever given in the city. Man-  
ager Gervurt reports business as im-  
proving and he will continue to secure  
only the best and most popular attrac-  
tions.

W. Whyte of Boise, Idaho, has  
taken charge of the McCrea-Ford  
studio for a time, and for the next 23  
days will make the best \$5.00 photo-  
graphs for \$3.50. See our work. Best  
in the city for cash money.

Courteous treatment, an abundance  
of amusement, together with a line of  
all popular brands of liquid refresh-  
ments, has made the LaTosca a popu-  
lar resort.

Martin's Eastern Cream Cheese;  
Tillamook Brick, Breakfast Cheese.  
Nice, large, fancy Edam. We have all  
kinds.

FOARD & STOKES CO.

R. M. Gaston, at his feed stable No.  
105 14th street, offers for sale a Landis  
harness machine; one butcher's wall  
scales, will be sold cheap.

A new invoice of Eastman's cele-  
brated Kodaks and supplies received  
at the Owl drug store.

Just received, some fancy smoked  
bloaters.

ASTORIA GROCERY.

Danziger & Co. are open for busi-  
ness.

**Don't Miss It!****Another One of Those Great  
Embroidery Sales.**

Our New York buyer has sent us two lots more, 1900  
yards of the widest and best embroidery that  
was ever shown in Astoria.  
We have arranged them in two lots, to be on sale  
Thursday morning, March 23, at 9 o'clock,

**LOT 1.**

Embroideries from 5 to 10 inches wide, **10c**  
regular price 30c, at

**LOT 2.**

Embroideries from 12 to 18 inches wide, **15c**  
regular price 40c, at

**Morse Department Store.**

508-510 Commercial Street.

The Place Where Everybody Likes to Trade.

**The New ALASKAN WARE**

THE LATEST AND BEST.

FOR SALE BY

**W. C. LAWS & CO.** 527-528 Bond St.

IT WILL PAY YOU TO SEE HIM.

**Something Good and Cheap**

OUR

**Diamond - Mirror - Dresser**

**\$7.75**  
EACH.

Come and see just what these dressers look like.

These dressers have no equal in the city for the price.

**CHAS. HEILBORN & SON**

Complete House Furnishers.

**PERFECTION**

How true to the name  
are our

**\$3.50 and \$4.00**  
**Men's Shoes.**

Perfect in Workmanship.  
Perfect in Fit.  
Perfect in Style.

ALL LEATHERS. — BLUCHERS OR LACE.

**Wherity, Ralston & Company**

The Leading Shoe Dealers.

**1905  
STYLES  
IN  
1905.**

That's the way you'll  
find things at the

**FOARD & STOKES CO.'S  
DRY GOODS STORE.**

You can shop here with perfect assurance that you  
are getting no old or shopworn goods.

The newest ideas of the earliest manufacturers find first exhibition here. That's  
why our dry goods department is meeting with such great success. There's  
scarcely a day goes by that doesn't add something new to the splendid showing  
we've already made. Among the new arrivals is another

**Large Shipment of Lace Curtains**

Rather unfortunate for us but fortunate for our patrons we haven't the room to  
properly display them. Owing to this fact we intend to close out the entire lot  
this week. Come in and see the new designs we are showing. Spring house-  
cleaning begins soon and there's always a few curtains to be bought. Buy here this  
week and you'll save from 25 to 50 per cent off the regular price.

Ask to see the new shades in Kid Gloves at \$1.25 to \$1.50.

**FOARD & STOKES CO.**

Astoria's Greatest Store.